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12,919,257 BALES GINNED TO JAN. 1

EIGHTH COTTON GINNING REPORT FOR SEASON ISSUED THURSDAY MORNING

TEXAS 4,416,932 BALES

Ginnings For Whole Country to First of Year 1,397,765 Less Than Last Year

By Associated Press

Washington, Jan. 9—The eighth cotton ginning report of the Census Bureau for the season issued at 10 o'clock this morning announced that 12,919,257 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales, of the growth of 1912 had been ginned prior to Wednesday, January 1, to which date during the past seven years the ginning averaged 92.8 per cent of the entire crop. Last year to January 1, there had been ginned 14,317,002 bales, or 92.1 per cent of the entire crop. In 1908 to that date, 12,465,398 bales or 95.3 per cent and in 1906 to that date 11,741,039 bales or 90.4 per cent.

Included in the ginnings were 77,799 round bales, compared with 86,227 bales last year, 109,292 bales in 1910, 142,949 bales in 1909 and 230,572 bales in 1908.

The number of Sea Island cotton bales included were 67,329 compared with 105,988 bales last year, 89,611 bales in 1909 and 86,527 bales in 1908.

Ginnings prior to January 1 by states, with comparisons for last year and other big crop years and the percentage of the entire crop ginned prior to that date in those years follow:

States— Year	Ginnings	Per Ct
ALABAMA—		
1912	2,289,576	
1911	1,618,510	95.5
1908	1,302,338	97.8
1906	1,190,062	97.9
ARKANSAS—		
1912	732,240	.
1911	786,329	86.6
1908	910,423	91.4
1906	731,547	81.8
FLORIDA—		
1912	56,018	..
1911	86,421	91.5
1908	66,855	94.7
1906	59,011	96.0
GEORGIA—		
1912	1,767,016	
1911	2,623,917	93.9
1908	1,930,783	97.7
1906	1,571,782	90.3
LOUISIANA—		
1912	367,195	
1911	352,503	92.1
1908	453,210	97.0
1906	636,459	87.5
MISSISSIPPI—		
1912	937,356	.
1911	1,047,299	89.6
1908	1,522,160	93.9
1906	1,289,294	86.9
NORTH CAROLINA—		
1912	867,403	.
1911	975,223	88.6
1908	647,505	94.7
1906	571,628	93.5
OKLAHOMA—		
1912	946,453	. .
1911	900,409	88.6
1908	625,610	95.1
1906	701,814	80.5
SOUTH CAROLINA—		
1912	1,173,549	
1911	1,509,753	89.2
1908	1,176,220	96.7
1906	868,977	95.2
TENNESSEE—		
1912	248,506	
1911	381,281	88.7
1908	317,010	94.9
1906	241,838	82.5
TEXAS—		
1912	4,461,932	.
1911	3,926,059	95.6
1908	3,458,007	96.1
1906	3,626,117	91.8
OTHER STATES—		
1912	82,013	.
1911	110,298	79.4
1908	67,777	92.7
1906	62,710	77.2

The ginnings of Sea Island cotton prior to January 1, by states follow:

Yr—	Fla	Ga	S C
1912	21,084	39,526	6,791
1911	38,091	63,089	4,798
1909	137,532	49,944	12,135
1908	33,698	41,049	12,781

The next ginning report will be issued Thursday January 23 at 10 a. m.

Navy Department Officials Not Alarmed

By Associated Press

Washington, Jan. 9—Although no word has been received from either the repair ship, Panther or the naval tug Sonoma, navy department officials today still protested their conviction that the vessels had been blown out of their course by recent gales and that they would report only when they had joined the battleships off Guantanamo Cuba.

FIREMAN KILLED IN MOBILE BLAZE

Two Others Seriously Hurt by Falling Wall—Fire Caused $150,000 Damage

By Associated Press

Mobile, Ala., Jan. 9—One fireman was killed and two seriously injured by a falling wall in a fire here this morning which did $150,000 damage. Several firemen were slightly bruised and burned. The dead man is Joseph C. Erdn.

The fire started on the stage of the Mobile Theatre and although smoke was noticed by roomers in an adjoining hotel no attention was paid to it. The fire had been burning half an hour before the alarm was turned in, and when the firemen arrived the interior was a mass of flames.

The loss to the theatre building was $55,000.

OIL PRICE JUMPS TO NINETY CENTS

AN ADVANCE OF TWO CENTS PER BARREL POSTED THIS MORNING

DOLLAR OIL IS EXPECTED

Prediction Made That Electra Product Will Bring Dollar By March

Electra oil is today worth ninety cents per barrel, a two cent advance being chalked up this morning. This is the first advance of the year but follows closely upon the heels of several the latter part of 1912. At the present rate, oil will soon be at a figure where independent producers will have more incentive to put down wells. Local oil men are predicting that the first of March will see dollar-a-barrel oil in the Electra field.

The well being drilled by Green et al on the Burnett & Loyd ranch has been abandoned at 650 feet.

TRIAL OF G. W. MASON ON IN DISTRICT COURT

Selection of Jury Began at 1:30 p. m. Thursday—May Go to Jury Late Friday

The case of George W. Mason charged with forgery in connection with the H. A. Overall oil leases, is on trial in the district court this afternoon and the selection of a jury began at 1:30. The forgery charge is one of four indictments returned against Mason.

It is expected that the taking of evidence will begin this afternoon and that the case will go to the jury late tomorrow. Mason is represented by Attorney W. F. Weeks. District Attorney Scurry is conducting the prosecution.

BANKER AND WIFE TO JAIL FOR CONTEMPT

Dr. Kirby and Wife Will Remain in Jail Until They Tell What Became of Money

By Associated Press

Chicago, Jan. 9—Dr. William P. Kirby, owner of the defunct Kirby Savings bank and his wife, were today ordered sent to jail on a contempt charge until they turned over $30,000 said to be missing from the assets of the bank.

The decision came at the end of a scathing denunciation by the court of the participants in what Judge Landis termed a fraud and a frame up of par excellence in perjury.

ONLY ONE JUROR WAS SELECTED AT NOON

Poor Progress Made This Morning in Selecting Jury to Try Epting

By Associated Press

Memphis, Texas, Jan. 9—Prospects of getting a jury to try B. B. Epting for complicity in the killing of Al Boyce Jr. by John Beall Speed look ed poor today at noon when the 27th veniremen had been examined and only one juror, W. O. Carson, the first examined, had been selected.

Fruit Growers Say Damage is Slight

Houston, Texas, Jan. 9—Fruit growers and truckers assert positively that the cold spell passed without leaving any damage in its wake.

MESSAGE BY GOV. MARSHALL

INDIANA GOVERNOR SAYS THAT PROGRESSIVE LEGISLATION MUST BE ENACTED

LINE OF DEMARKATION

Betwen Private and Public Social Service Must Be Preserved

By Associated Press

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 9—Unless progressive legislation is enacted, the people, some day will open up the cul de sac even though the opening may lead representative government over a precipice into pure socialism or paternalism' said Governor Marshall in his message to the Indiana legislature today.

'Representative government does not mean that present day conditions cannot be remedied. Upon the contrary, progressive legislation may be enacted with no disturbance to the checks and balances of our system of government.

'The last General Assembly recognizing our unfortunate condition with reference to the amendment of the state constitution, ordered presented for adoption or rejection by the people at the election in 1912 a new constitution. An action was brought to enjoin and restrain the Governor and the other members of the State Board of Election Commissioners and the Secretary of State from putting the question of adoption or rejection upon the ballot. The litigation resulted in a permanent injunction by the Indiana supreme court upon a divided opinion, three members of the court being in favor of the injunction and two against it.

'With utmost respect for the majority of the supreme court, I felt that it had usurped the functions of the legislative and executive branches of government, that the sheriff of the court would have a rather interesting time in getting possession of my body and punishing me for contempt; and that such decisions gave greater impetus to the recall of judges and decisions than all the opinions of mere laymen touching the usurpations of the courts. Yet, I realized I might be wrong.

"Though believing that it was making of the supreme court the only branch of government which we had still I felt that while there was a possibility of a judicial review I should not set myself up as a judge and resist by force of arms what to me was an encroachment of the judiciary upon my constitutional rights. I was wholly unwilling to permit my personal views to result in anarchy. I believed that an orderly procedure with respect for the court however little respect I might hold for its opinion, was the one for me to pursue. I felt assured that the supreme court of the United States would not punish me for trying to be a law-abiding citizen by refusing to decide the great questions involved in this controversy upon the theory that they were not judicial but political in their character.

"The question has not passed beyond the mere domain of party politics. The majority opinion leaves the state in doubt as to whether it can even call a constitutional convention and as to whether our fathers did not foreclose upon posterity its right to alter and reform its system of government. It also leaves involved a far greater determination—that of the right of the court to strip the legislature and executive of their constitutional rights and to set itself up not as a coordinate but as a supreme branch of government.

'In accordance with these views I have sued out a writ of error to the supreme court of the United States with confidence that that court will assume jurisdiction and decide the questions involved and with confidence that it will not dismiss the case and tell me that if I thought I was right, I should have totally disregarded the decision of the supreme court, defied its authority, thrown its sheriff out of my window, called out the militia to defend my position and submitted the question to the people regardless of the court.

Governor Marshall's message contained a warning against the subtle influences of the lobbyist and recommended that all bills be reported out of committee within four days. Continuing Governor Marshall said:

'You are today facing conditions and principles which if yielded to and accepted, may result in a peaceful revolution in the substance of your government. I do not contend that under the police power of the state a representative democracy has no authority with reference to the life, health and safety of the individual. Upon the contrary, I insist

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WEATHER FORECAST

Tonight increasing cloudiness and warmer. Friday unsettled.

$900,000 MORTGAGE ON CORSICANA'S PROPERTIES

Mortgage Includes Big Acreage Of Leases In Wichita and Adjoining Counties

The Corsicana Petroleum Company today filed with County Clerk Walsh a $900,000 mortgage expiring Dec. 2, 1924 in favor of the Columbia Knickerbocker Trust Company of New York.

The mortgage covers all of the Corsicana's holdings in Texas and is interesting in that it sets forth the extent of the company's operations. Its holdings include producing leases in Archer, Clay, Marion, Navarro and Wichita Counties, and a large amount of land owned in fee, including about 750 acres in Clay county and over 1500 acres in Wichita county. The non producing leases of the company cover a wide stretch of territory in west and northwest Texas as follows: Archer, Baylor, Callahan, Clay, Eastland, Haskell, Jack, McCulloch, Montague, Palo Pinto, San Saba, Shackelford, Stephens, Throckmorton, Wichita, Wilbarger and Young counties. Tens of thousands of acres are under lease by the company in these counties in most of which there is no production as yet.

The company has the following producing leases in Wichita county according to the mortgage: J. R. Brewer 240 acres, S. E. Honaker 320 acres, Woodruff-Putnam, 160 acres, Brown Cross, 80 acres; Allen Powers 470 acres, C. Schmocker, 580 acres, W. J. Sheldon, 80 acres, Reese Allen 315.9 acres, W. J. Sheldon ten acres, J. K. Bywaters et al 293.5 acres.

The Corsicana's non-producing leases in Wichita county reach the imposing total of 28,535 acres scattered in various parts of the county. Its holdings in this county however are not as large as in some counties where oil has not been found notably, Stephens, Eastland, Shackelford and Throckmorton counties.

SHERIFF DON'T HAVE TO KNOW YOUR NAME

Oil Man Found This Out to His Sorrow When Officer Haled Him Into Court

The sheriff may not know your name, but he can nab you just the same, which entirely unconscious rhyme is inspired by what happened to a local oil man this morning when he surmised, because the deputy sheriff did not know his name, that he couldn't be summoned.

'What's your name?' asked the officer, entering the oil man's sanctum sanctorum.

'I don't know that it's any of your business' was the reply.

The officer opined otherwise and the two went to the court house together to see what Judge Martin had to say about it. The judge decided that a man could be served for jury purposes whether the officer knew his name or not. The visions of a jail cell, which had been lurking in the oil mans mind causing a longing for the punctured prairies of Electra were dispelled when the judge, after a lecture, sustained the officer's contention and dismissed the oil man without sentence.

The officers know only a few of the oil men by sight—surprisingly few conditions considered—and when they wish to get service on one of them the question of identity is not easily solved.

DOES KATY INTEND TO BUY OKLAHOMA CENTRAL?

In connection with the proposed purchase of the Clinton & Oklahoma Western from Clinton westward sixty miles to Strong City, by the Missouri Kansas & Texas making it a portion of the recently acquired Wichita Falls & Northwestern system, it is announced also that the Katy's intention is to extend the line southeast from Clinton to Calckasha for a connection there with the Oklahoma Central. This would permit the Katy people through the Wichita Falls & Northwestern and Clinton & Western State charters to purchase the Oklahoma Central something that not only the Katy, but also the Frisco and Santa Fe have been trying to accomplish for some time without subjecting the parent systems to the stringent railroad laws of Oklahoma. The Oklahoma Central is for sale and its purchase together with the Clinton & Oklahoma Western would give the Katy direct connection between its Eastern and Western Oklahoma north and south lines.—Denison Herald.

BANKER REFUSES TO GIVE ANSWER

DECLINES TO GIVE NAMES OF BANKERS WHO PROFITED IN PETROLEUM SYNDICATE

CITED FOR CONTEMPT

Speaker Clark Will Review Case, Involving Authority of Money Trust Probe

By Associated Press

Washington, Jan. 9—Because he refused to give to the House 'money trust' committee the names of twenty four bank officers who profited in a syndicate formed to market stock of the California Petroleum Company George G. Henry of Solomon A. Tand Company, New York bankers, was certified to the Speaker of the House today for contempt. The full banking and currency committee voted unanimously for that action.

Mr. Henry testified that national banks and national bank officers participated in a syndicate to the extent of $1,085,000 and without putting up any money or taking over any stock, took profits of about $50,000. He maintained that his confidential relations with his customers would not allow him to furnish the names of the participants and presented a statement framed by Former Senator John C. Spooner, as counsel, justifying his refusal to answer.

Speaker Clark will review the case to determine whether he will certify the record to the district attorney of the District of Columbia for criminal prosecution. The case threatens to involve the ultiamte question of national banks, which probably will be taken to the supreme court. Opinions on the subject among legal experts in the department of justice differ.

If the Henry case is brought to a conclusion the committee's inquiry into the question to which it is related may be checked pending a decision.

LONG JAIL TERMS FOR MILITANT SUFFRAGISTS

May Dillinghurst and Louisa Gay Given Eight Months for Vandalism

By Associated Press

London, Jan. 9—May Dillinghurst and Louisa Gay militant suffragettes today were sentenced to eight months imprisonment in connection with charges of destruction of the mail. May Dillinghurst who is a cripple, and unable to get about except on a tricycle already has been in prison on several occasions in connection with the suffrage campaign.

Evidence today showed letter boxes had been damaged together with their contents by means of acids, sticky fluids, varnish and ink. Rags soaked in lamp oil sometimes were placed in the boxes. Many valuable documents had been destroyed in this way.

FACTIONAL FEELING AT WOMAN'S CONVENTION

By Associated Press

Washington, Jan. 9—Indications of factional feeling developed at the convention of the Woman's National Democratic League today, and further when Mrs. Mathew T. Scott, president of the D. A. R. mounted the platform to place in nomination for president of the league Mrs. Stephen E. Ayres of New York. Mrs. John Sherwin Crosby the incumbent invited Mrs. Scott to quit the platform and make her nomination from the floor.

The announcement was greeted with hissing from one part of the hall. Mrs. Scott nominated Mrs. Ayres from her place on the floor. Mrs. Crosby had been nominated.

CONGRESSIONAL CLERK FOUND DEAD IN NEW YORK

By Associated Press

New York, Jan. 9—C. L. Foords, clerk of the folding room of the House of Representatives at Washington, was found dead at midnight in a squalid room in a Seventh avenue lodging house under conditions which led the police to start an investigation.

Wearing good clothes Foords was found sitting upright in a chair dead. Probably an autopsy will be ordered.

Foords Disappeared December 31

Washington, Jan. 9—C. L. Foords, folding clerk of the House, found dead in New York has been missing since December 31. He was forty years old. He leaves a widow. The body will be cared for by the House.

MANY MIGHT HAVE BEEN KILLED

Heavily Laden Santa Fe Passenger Train Split Switch at Edge of Deep Pit Near Gainesville

By Associated Press

Gainesville, Texas, Jan. 9—On the edge of a deep gravel pit a heavily laden Santa Fe passenger train split a switch today and was partly piled up without a single car going into the pit or one person being killed.

F. W. Claunch, express messenger on his first trip, was seriously injured. Numerous passengers were bruised slightly.

Considerable track was torn up and the mail car, two baggage cars, day coach and chair car left the rails.

ROY CASTLES SERIOUSLY HURT

EMPLOYE OF LOCAL GIN PLANT CAUGHT BY REVOLVING SHAFT

BEATEN AGAINST FLOOR

Chance Discovery by Fellow Workman Only Saved Him From Outright Death

Roy Castles an employe of the Wichita Re Gin Company was seriously and perhaps fatally injured at 11 o'clock this morning when his clothing caught in a rapidly revolving shaft at the gin plant.

Castles was whirled around the shaft and his head was beaten against the cement floor under the shaft and his perilous predicament was discovered only by chance. Another employe of the plant happened to go to the department where Castles was at work and discovered his body whirling about with the shaft. He gave an alarm and the machinery was quickly stopped otherwise Castles' head would have been beaten to a pulp against the cement floor in a few more seconds.

An ambulance was called and the injured man was taken to Dr. Mack Schner's hospital, where an examination showed a fracture of the skull, terrible cuts on the scalp, a broken wrist and bruises and sprains over the body. It is also feared that he is injured internally.

He remained conscious for some time after the accident but was unable to tell how his clothing became caught in the shafting.

Castles is about nineteen years old and is unmarried. He lives at the edge of the city across Holliday creek.

INJUNCTION AGAINST LUMBER TRUST PERMANENT

U. S. District Court Makes Permanent Restraining Order Against Eastern Department of Trust

By Associated Press

New York, Jan. 9—The government's petition for a permanent injunction against the Eastern States Retail Lumber Dealers Association alleged to be a combination in restraint of trade was granted today by the federal district court. Final argument for and against the injunction was made a week ago.

After Retail Dealers

By Associated Press

Chicago, Jan. 9—Further disclosures of the methods employed by the retail lumber dealers in their fight against the wholesale dealers who are alleged to have attempted to transact business direct with the consumers as mail order houses were made today.

John Gauger, president of the F. A. Gauger & Company was called as the first witness when the hearing of the government dissolution suit against the Northwestern Lumber Dealers Association and others was resumed.

$240,000 BOND FOR CLANCY AND TVIETOME

United States District Court at San Francisco Accepts Profferred Bail

By Associated Press

San Francisco, Jan. 9—Bail bond in the sum of $240,000 for the release of Olaf A. Tveitmoe and Eugene Clancy the convicted dynamite conspirators sentenced to six years in the federal prison was accepted here today by the United States district court.

MUNSEY DESERTS THE PROGRESSIVES

ANNOUNCES TIME AT HAND FOR REPUBLICANS TO MAKE PEACE

OLD GUARD ASSEMBLES

Twelve Who Made History at Chicago Meet in Washington for Conference

Washington, Jan. 9—Twelve stalwart Republicans of the 'old guard' that made history at the Chicago convention last June have arrived in Washington and are conferring with President Taft and with one another on the best means of picking up the ends and ends of the Republican party with a view to rehabilitating it as an effective organization.

The list of those who responded to the summons are Charles P. Taft of Cincinnati, Archie Stevenson of Big Steve of Denver, Frank Lowden of Illinois, Ralph Williams, National committeeman from Oregon; Joe Keating of Indiana, also James Watson of Indiana, James Tawney of Minnesota, Dan Mulvane of Kansas, Ely Morris of Missouri, Harry M. Daugherty of Ohio, Gen. Brown late Republican candidate for governor of Ohio.

The list was increased by Republican Senators and Representatives now in Washington and all told it is a formidable array of what is left of the field leadership of the old Republican party.

The task on hand being a delicate one and still in a very incipient stage, the leaders were all talking platitudes and treading gum shoe. Meanwhile the faithful were sitting around the lobby waiting for some such important event as the summoning of the Republican National committee, but up to late hour the conferences at the White House and at the hotel had not yet borne such fruit.

Apparently quite incidentally Frank Munsey, one of the most generous and zealous Bull Moose leaders lent excitement to the occasion by announcing in plain type editorials in the dailies papers he owns that the time is at hand for all good Republicans and ex Republicans to forgive and forget and get together in order to wrest control of the government from the Democrats. Mr. Munsey makes it plain in his announcement that he was not made to walk the plank but that he deserted overnight without taking Commander Roosevelt into his confidence. Mr. Munsey declares that the Republicans can never hope to wrest control from the Democrats while so badly divided and that after all has been said there is not much difference between the members of the two factions of the old party.

He would create what he calls a political holding company to merge the two factions and restore unity.

The regulars who are here on the mission of rehabilitating the party declined to comment on the Munsey declaration. The Hon. Archie Stevenson of Denver did say guardedly that Mr. Munsey is showing the proper spirit.

The Progressives here say Mr. Munsey is a convert of such uncertain orbit that it can not be held in a line by even such a force as Col. Roosevelt. They express surprise and gratitude that Mr. Munsey has stayed with the Progressive party as long as he did.

DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS INVOLVED IN CHARGE

Sales of Diseased Beef With Their Knowledge to Crow Indians Charged by Investigator

By Associated Press

Washington, Jan. 9—Sales of diseased beef to Crow Indians with knowledge of interior department officials was charged today by Mrs. Henry Pierce Gray, an investigator before the Senate Indian Affairs committee hearing Senator Townsend's resolution to direct the interior department to send the Crow records to the attorney general for investigation. Mrs. Gray declared cattle with lump jaw were sold for beef to Indians by lessees who had prod[illegible] in the Indians.

Senator Townsend [illegible] was convinced gross frauds [illegible] been practiced on the Indians [illegible] investigation should be made.

Haskell Brought to Waco

By Associated Press

Waco, Texas, Jan. 9—H. O. Haskell was arrested in Brownsville on a [illegible] charge on him with kidnapping the pretty daughter of a prominent [illegible] was brought back this morning by the sheriff and is in jail.

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Condensed Statement showing condition of the

First State Bank & Trust Company

OF WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

at close of business December 31st, 1912

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	$237,629.88		
Furniture and Fixtures	4,325.76		
Depositors' Guaranty Fund	2,689.67	Capital Stock	$ 75,000.00
Cotton Bills of Exchange	23,644.65	Surplus	8,500.00
CASH:		Undivided Profits	5,617.48
On hand in Bank $48,592.50		Deposits	296,411.07
Due from Banks 67,646.10	116,238.60		
Total	$384,528.55	Total	$384,528.55

The above statement is correct.

T. J. TAYLOR, President

Deposits December 31, 1911 . . $181,407.88

Deposits Dec. 31, 1912 . . . . . $295,411.07

FOR SALE--ALL BARGAINS

Owing to leaving Wichita Falls and moving to California I offer the following for ten days at a great sacrifice considering location and the class of goods I have for sale:

One four room house on Fourth street in first class repair $875 00
Lots one and two in block 51, Floral Heights .. $825 00
Lot 6 in block 13, Floral Heights $700 00
Corner of Travis and Ninth street, one of the best vacant lots in Wichita Falls $4500 00
$110 Fox Typewriter with extra carriage $50 00
$65.00 Roll top desk $30 00
$15.00 Typewriter stand $10 00
$40.00 China Closet $20 00
$30.00 Buffet $12 50
$500.00 Bush & Layne Piano $225 00
250 quarts peaches, plumbs and sweet pickles.

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Local News Brevities

Men's suits dry cleaned and pressed 75 cents. Bloom Tailoring Co. 606 Eighth street. 91 tfc

The program at the Alamo for tonight is an exceptionally good one, including Gaumont's Weekly; "Family Mix-up," "Midnight Elopement," Keystones, "Four Flush Actor," "Whoop Skirts, My Dear," Majestic. 6 1tc

New bill—3 acts—Pathes Weekly at Lydia Margaret today. 6 1tc

The case of Jack Marshall, indicted for theft of over $50 in connection with the disappearance of Piner Avis' automobile last year, was dismissed in the district court this morning on motion of District Attorney Scurry, but the defendant is still held. On his first trial, Marshall was given two years; a new trial was granted, the jury failing to agree. The jury was completed last night to try the case and spent the night at the court house.

Ladies will receive handsome silver souvenirs at the Alamo Theatre Thursday night. 5 2tc

Moose Attention

All Moose and those intending to join will meet at the City Hall Saturday night at 7:30 p. m. sharp to take part in the big parade.

The program at the Alamo for tonight is an exceptionally good one, including Gaumont's Weekly; "Family Mix-up," "Midnight Elopement," Keystones, "Four Flush Actor," "Whoop-Skirts, My Dear," Majestic. 6 1tc

A bride at the age of 15 years is Miss Eula Ruddock of Dundee to wed whom Ben Smith of Dundee was issued a license yesterday. The bride's father's consent had been secured. The groom's age is 22.

You have never had the opportunity to see as many apples as we have on display. Just stop in and see them. Trevathan Brothers. 6 2tc

Men's suits French dry cleaned and pressed 75 cents. Bloom Tailoring Co. 91 tfc

Dr. Nelson, dentist. Phone connections 63 tfc

Members of the Loyal Order of Moose are giving invitations to their friends to attend a smoker and lunch at the Odd Fellows' Hall Sunday evening at 3:30 o'clock.

175 extra fancy Winesap apples for $2.25. Buy them for the children. Call for the "Baby Winesaps." Trevathan Brothers. 6 2tc

The following marriage licenses have been issued: W. F. Janoson and Miss Metta L. Dietz; W. S. White and Miss Vadie Steele; Ben Smith and Miss Eula Reddock of Dundee.

Moose Smoker

Sunday, Jan. 12th, 3:30 p. m. all Moose are requested to be present. Bring a good friend whom you would like to have join the Order. Odd Fellows Hall, 613 1-2 Indian. 7 3tc

The cold weather had its effect upon the police court docket today, there being eight defendants before Judge Hye. This is the heaviest docket for any day of the New Qear.

The best cooking apple grown. Try a box of the famous Rome beauties. $1.75 to $2.25 per box. Phone us. Trevathan Brothers. 6 2tc

I have received an honorable discharge from the U. S. Army on certificate of disability and am back in Wichita Falls to live. I take this manner of letting my friends know of my return and also to extend to them my best regards—Soloman Blank, formerly private Company M 12th U. S. Infantry, Fort Presidio Monterey, California. 5 3tp

Ground was broken this morning for t ehewn??? shrdlu shrdl shrdluol the new building which O. T. Bacon will erect on Ohio Avenue, part of which will be occupied by the Millsap-McWhorter Dry Goods Company.

I can prevent and cure contagious abortion in cows. Dr. Bolyn, phones 14 ano 1076. 6 1tp

Call Bloom Tailoring Co., phone 104 for cleaning and pressing. 606 Eighth street. 91 tfc

Moose Meeting for obligation of candidates at K of P Hall 805 1-2 8th street promptly at one o'clock Sunday Jan. 12th. Now is the time to become a charter member. $5.00 charter membership fee. If you want to join be on hand early. 6 3tc

Margaret, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Maier on Indiana avenue, is quite sick.

The program at the Alamo for tonight is an exceptionally good one, including Gaumont's Weekly; "Family Mix-up," "Midnight Elopement," Keystones, "Four Flush Actor," "Whoop Skirts, My Dear," Majestic. 6 1tc

Come to our store Saturday, especially decorated for visitors. See the big apple show. Trevathan Brothers 6 2tc.

Mrs Martha Thacker, aged 76 years died at 11 p m. last night at 705 Lamar, death being due to paralysis, after an extended illness. Two daughters, Mrs. Bettie Seelinger of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Powell of Electra, survive. Mrs. Thacker had been a resident of Wichita Falls for four years coming here from Tennessee. The funeral services took place this afternoon at 3:30, Rev. J. P. Boone officiating; the services were under the auspices of the local lodge of Elks, a deceased son of Mrs. Thacker having been a member of that order.

Pipes Repaired

I have moved my office to the Stonecipher-Smith Drug Store and am prepared to repair all kinds of smoking pipes. T. M. Smith. 5 tp

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Lovers of Music and good comedy will be pleased with the bill at the Lydia Margaret tonight. Pathes Weekly today. 6 1tc.

Thursday night at the Alamo ladies will be given handsome silver souvenirs. 5 2tc

My motto: Miller sells it for less.

The Elks Lodge has contracted with Joe Bren of Kansas City, Mo., to put on a minstrel show here February 18 and 19. The minstrel will be given in the Majestic theatre. Mr. Bren is a well known director and the Elks are planning a better and bigger show than ever before.

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Hazing, which used to be rampant at West Point and Annapolis, has been pretty well suppressed through the energy with which it has been combated by the federal authorities. Under the urgings of the Inquirer and other newspapers, which detested and denounced a brutal practice, congress enacted legislation whose loyal and energetic enforcement has served to stamp the evil out. An instance of it is reported once in a while, but usually in a materially modified and comparatively unobjectionable form, and the convicted offender is punished without any demoralizing indulgence. This is a gratifying reform for whose consummation President Taft deserves a large measure of credit.

At other than the two colleges conducted by the government hazing continues to a greater or less extent, and with a varying measure of severity, and within the past few days cases have been reported in which one young man died from the effects of his comrades' ill-treatment, while another youth was so seriously injured that his life is endangered. This indicates an unsatisfactory situation. It shows the continued existence of an evil which needs to be eradicated and demonstrates the necessity for some remedial action sufficiently drastic to be effectively restrictive and admonitory. Would-be hazers must be frightened into good behavior.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

South American Diplomat.

Auguste B. Leguia, who recently completed a successful term as President of Peru, was one of the country's shrewdest business men before he entered politics. It was not until 1903 that he became actively engaged in affairs of the state, and then only because the last President Candamo, knowing his genius for finance, urged him to become the minister of that important department of the cabinet. He was born in 1863, and received his education in Valparaiso. When the war with Chile broke out he resigned from a mercantile position to join the army, where he distinguished himself in battle.

None of His Relations.

A union butcher workman was suing a packing firm to recover damages for injuries sustained in a Kansas City establishment. A colored laborer in the plant was called as a witness. "Did you work with Jones, the plaintiff?" "Yassah." "Do you know the foreman and the other officers of the plant?" "Yassah." "What are your relations with them?" continued the attorney. "Now, yo' look-a-here, boss," said the witness, "I'se skeared. That's a-why I looks so white. Them folks ain't no relations of mine."

Wise and Simple Rule.

If we are ever in doubt what to do, it is a good rule to ask ourselves what we shall wish on the morrow that we had done.—John Lubbock.

The Young Idea.

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[illegible] ..... $[illegible]

French Coney set, $27.00 ..... $[illegible]

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INDIANS HAVE A NEWER CEREMONY

PEYOTE RITE IS NAME OF LATEST "STUNT" FOR YOUNG OKLAHOMA INDIANS

MEDICAL VALUE SHOWN

Sacred Songs Are Sung and Participants Eat Pieces of a Cactus Bush

Tulsa, Okla., Jan. 9.—In the last thirty years there has risen a ceremonial among the young men of several of the Indian tribes including the Kiowas, Cheyennes and Arapahoes of Oklahoma that is rapidly displacing the older rites and superstitions vagaries of their ancestors. The new ceremonial is known as the Peyote Rite, and is not only humanitarian but has elements of medical value.

A small cactus is found on the arid hills from Colorado southward that is similar in growth to a radish. From the center springs a very handsome white blossom, being displaced later by a tuft of down. This plant possesses valuable medical qualities together with intoxicant elements, the latter leaving no ill effect. The entire plant is cut into slices and dried and quite a traffic has been created, in later years, owing to the increased demand for it in ceremonial uses.

The ceremony is religious and lacks the wild and weird incantations of so many ceremonies of the past and still practiced among the less civilized tribes.

A teepee is erected and within, a crescent mound thrown up, and the fire started. The peyote is placed on the mound. Without the teepee, sitting in a complete circle, the size of which depends upon the number of members present, are the members of the tribe engaged in silent prayer and contemplation. The sick members of the tribe are remembered in these devotions, and the departed members who passed to the great beyond during the time since the last rite, are also remembered in supplication.

During the early hours of the evening while the devotions are in progress four pieces of peyote are distributed to each worshipper who swallows them and then the sacred songs begin and last for an hour. Other distributions are then made and at midnight a baptismal ceremony consisting of bathing the forehead, washing the finger tips and the lobe of the ear in peyote extract is performed.

Singing and silent prayer marks the entire night service, together with the eating of the peyote. If a sick member is present they are conducted within the circle and after partaking freely of the peyote the assembly indulges in prayer and song.

First you want to catch up with your neighbor, then you want to pass him and then you die disappointed if you haven't left him out of sight.

"The City". H. B. Koch

MAJESTIC THEATRE JAN. 24

PANHANDLE DOCTORS COMING NEXT WEEK

Arrangements Being Completed for Meeting of Medical Association Wednesday and Thursday

Local physicians are rapidly completing arrangements for the entertainment of the Panhandle Medical Association, which will convene in Wichita Falls on Wednesday and Thursday of next week. A large number of physicians from all parts of Northwest Texas will probably be here for the occasion. The program of papers is now being prepared, but has not been made public.

The entertainment features of the convention include a luncheon and a vaudeville entertainment. The district covers a wide expanse of territory, including all the Panhandle country, and it is hoped to bring many doctors here from that section.

MESSAGE BY GOV. MARSHALL

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that the use of this power is of as much value to each individual citizen as it is to a majority of the citizens. What we should clearly understand and conscientiously preserve is the line of demarkation between private and public social service. In a representative democracy, that line of demarkation may be charted in this language: It is the right and duty of the state to provide for the care and treatment of all of her unfortunate children who cannot provide for themselves. Unintentionally and unconsciously the generous impulses of mankind are lowering the self-respect of the individual. Abraham Lincoln would not have been a Biblical and Shakespearean scholar had he lived in a town with a Carnegie Library. The constitution of this state provides for a general and uniform system of common schools wherein tuition shall be without charge and equally open to all. The observations which I have heretofore made, do not apply to this system because the people decided that right and placed that duty upon the General Assembly. But they did not provide that books should be furnished gratuitously to the pupils in our schools, regardless of their ability to buy or not to buy them. I have seen these school books in states where they are furnished gratuitously to the pupils and wish to add that if Dr. Hurty would permit such books to be used in Indiana, he would cease to be the enemy of the [illegible] and would become the godfather of the germ."

Gov. Marshall suggests among other things that a Panama Pacific exposition commission with women representation thereon be appointed. He recommends the enactment of an inheritance tax law.

Legislation to prohibit stock watering and to protect an way against investing their money in that which is not property but mere premise in those schemes which are ordinarily known to the business world as blue sky.

Immediate enactment of a workman's compulsory compensation act.

Anti-loan shark legislation.

That trust companies be treated the same as banks and that the people be protected against panics.

Stringent housing laws.

Establishment of a state penal farm for male prisoners.

Strengthening of laws against sale and use of cocaine and opium.

Revocation of liquor—licenses upon third conviction of their holders.

Ratification of proposed amendment for popular election of senators.

JAMES THORPE RETURNS TO CARLISLE ALONE

Great Indian Athlete Fails to Persuade Brother and Sister to Accompany Him

Fort Smith, Ark., Jan. 9.—James Thorpe, world's champion athlete and Sac and Fox Indian of Oklahoma, who practically won first place for the United States at the Stockholm meet under Carlisle's colors, failed during the holidays to achieve one of his dearest wishes. Thorpe has ambition and believes in higher education.

James has a brother and sister living on their allotments near Prague, Okla., about 150 miles west of Fort Smith, where Jim's allotment is also. They have finished the public schools in Oklahoma and are ready for college.

Before he left Carlisle, Pa., for the Christmas vacation, James told his friends he expected to bring a brother and sister back to the school with him. The brother was to be his and Carlisle's greatest support in their battles on the gridiron. The sister was to look after Thorpe family honors in the classroom. Not that Jimmie allows the name of Thorpe to suffer when it comes to grades, but he wants the family name to be as great in the scholastic annals of the Indian school as in athletics.

After much hesitation and indecision, the brother and sister refused to go. They had consented up to the last minute. This is shown by the fact that, on Sunday they telegraphed to the Fort Smith & Western office here to mail three tickets through to Carlisle, and then cut the order down to one ticket two hours later.

Monday James Thorpe left for Carlisle alone.

The History of Trousers.

The Sartorial Art Journal, objecting to the selection by a contemporary of the year 1912 as the centennial of the general introduction of trousers as an article of male apparel, says that this garment was known and worn many years before the date given, worn by American sailors in the war with Tripoli, and by soldiers in the war of 1812-14 with Great Britain. To this information an antiquary contributes to the News a number of important facts. There has long been a difference of opinion among authorities whether the garment called trousers is properly so-called when it terminates at the knees. When it goes on the ankles other authorities say it is trousers, though even in such case giving preference to the word pantaloons.

In Trumbull's famous painting of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, the noble signers, it will be observed, have the garment in question coming only to the knees. Below that line of demarcation come the homeknit woolen stockings made by the patriotic mothers of the country.

In that earlier time the word trousers was seldom used. The general term was breeches. Some of our ancestors with Scottish blood in their veins went so far as to say breeks. George Washington did not wear trousers, did not wear pantaloons; he wore breeches and of a very opulent pattern, a sample of which, made of deerskin, is among the choicest relics of this republic hanging in a glass case in Washington City.

We have the tradition that Paul Jones's men of the Bonne Homme Richard in that memorable fight off Flamborough head September 23, 1779 wore breeches and over them, as do the Greeks and Albanians today, a short petticoat. Among the last people of western Europe to doff skirts and accept trousers were the Scotch Highlanders.

The name breeches has passed away, that of trousers is passing, and in its stead we have the somewhat unruly foreign term pantaloons. The clothing merchant is nobly resisting to abbreviate the three syllabled word [illegible]

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Easter of this year will fall on March 23rd, which is the first time in 57 years since it came as early as that date, and it will be 100 years before it will come as early again. It is also the earliest date on which it can possibly come.

Governor Colquitt hobs up about once a week in something showing great good sense, or maybe something which falls flat with a good proportion o fthose people who are constitutionally against him, who yet have fairness enough to judge him by his deeds, ivng credit where credit is thought to be due, and adversely criticising where it is thought he deserves such, the fair-minded man is the real friend of the official in public places. True, some politicians demand friendship regardless of where it leads. They demand that their friends shall adopt every idea originated and defend every action officially taken. Governor Colquitt is not believed to be that sort of man, in the main. He does things which some of his "shouters" must find difficult in endorsing and defending, and he goes contrary to what his enemies expect of him on many occasions, all is rather hard to locate at all times, but when there is not a factional question to be solved, he does get down to the bed rock of common sense pretty often. His latest act, in withdrawing a pardon from a convict whose freedom had been gained by a lawyer working for a fee, is one of those fine strokes which command the admiration of good citizens —Temple Telegram.

According to the Childress Post, the Democrats of Childress will hold a meeting next week for the purpose of naming a date for a primary election to decide who is the choice of the Democrats for postmaster. This plan provides that a petition shall first be circulated to obtain the signatures of a majority of the Democrats of that place calling for such an election and each signer pledging himself to participate in the election when held, and that the name of no applicant for the office who is not known to be a Democrat shall go on the ticket, and that votes cast for any applicant whose name does not appear on the authorized ticket shall be counted. In the case there are a number of candidates and no one receives a majority of ballots cast at the election, that all but the two who receive the highest number of votes shall be dropped and another election held. In this way it can be ascertained to almost a certainty who is the choice of the Democrats of that place for postmaster, and the results of that election are to be certified to by the chairman of the county Democratic Executive Committee and forwarded to the proper authorities who have the naming of the postmaster. While there is no law to govern such an election it seems to the Times it is perfectly fair. It also occurs to the Times that no man who is not the choice of the majority of Democrats of his town or community is deserving to receive political office or honors over the protest of a majority of his fellow Democrats, and if he is the proper kind of Democrat will not accept it tendered him. What do the Democrats of Wichita Falls think of such a plan, and how does it strike the applicants? The columns of the Times are open to any and all of them.

AN APOLOGY WITH A REPRIMAND

Dear Howard:

Where did you hibernate during the cyclone of rhetoric that emanated from the print shop of One Col. Bill Edwards. Honest Injun Howard I did not know it was loaded. That walking arsenal of explosives should carry a sign like a sandwich man reading something like this. "I am the John Thomas Cat, and the champion of Henrietta, just tramp my tail and hear me howl."

But I started to apologize to the Cunnel, with a mild reprimand: Dear Bill—We are very sorry that we monkeyed with the ignition tube, as it seemed to carbonize your carburator and you took your explosion in the wrong end. Those were cruel words when you said we were all Flat-heads here, now without making any comparisons, which are always odious, we feel that it is better to be a flat head than a pin-head and be able to put your collar on like a human being than to back into it. We are going to plead guilty to the fact that is with considerable pride that we look upon our Cheelid, (meaning Wichita Falls). Proud of her strength, her youth, her beauty and her symetry. We fondle and caress her as a child does its first doll. Our dreams are being realized, and you, dear Cunnel, with the ruthless and savage hand, call her fathers Flat-heads, freaks and other such phrases that you have worn thread bare.

Beware of jealousy, Cunnel. It is the green-eyed monster that doth mock. We are sorry that you have not the flat heads within the confines of your little village that con and has built a city. But we are only too willing to help you if you will but bury your pride and let us.

We will extend you and some more of your prominent citizens an invitation to visit us, and we will let you into all the secrets of city building; we will will allow you to see the Holy of Holies. We have been thinking for some time of starting a school of instruction on "How to Do It." For your information I will say that it will have a kinder-garden department for those under normal development.

I trust that you accept this apology in the spirit that it is given, and hope that on account of our esteemed editor's age, that you will refrain from pounding him on the head with your lava-on.

And further: I wish to take all the blame for what the letter in question contained.

Very truly yours,
W. G. LONG.

P. S. This is my real name.

Editors Note—The above is self-explantory. The Times, however, begs to asure the modern Vesuvius that he need not accept the above apology, and when he feels like popping off, just give us the hint, and we are ready and willing to pull the stopper again. The pleasure it affords Colonel Edwards fully compensates for the pounding and slamming he administers, at which he is a past-master, and has few equals and no superiors.)

CURRENT COMMENT

Arkansas Loses An Advertisement.

On the very day when Senator J. W. Bailey of Texas on leaving public life threw down the gauntlet and defied the modern political radicals who have introduced or are trying to introduce so many changes into our system of government, there died Senator Jeff Davis of Arkansas, who was the most militant radical in politics. There is something dramatic in the coincidence, for the two men, although nominally of the same party, were as far apart as the poles in everything which pertains to statesmanlike perspective.

It is idle to deny that each had a host of warm friends and bitter enemies. Such strong natures make for the superlative degree in polemics as well as in enthusiasm, but he would be a strange critic who would think that Mr. Davis represented constructive statesmanship in anything like the degree which did Mr. Bailey. Mr. Davis claimed to come from the soil; for political advertising purposes he clung to "Jeff" as his only first name and in the swamps of Arkansas or on the hustings in the hills he could rally the rednecks by his fiery denunciation of practically every existing institution, and by pouring forth obloquy on public men of all parties. Compared with him Mr Tillman in his palmiest days appears conservative.

Yet it must be related that he came to Washington annually to conquer the Senate and was being conquered when death cut him down. He was not a man of culture or refinement, but he had some manly good qualities as well as some intelligence, which showed him that what was good for popular consumption in the wilds of Arkansas did not even make good advertising material for a statesman in Washington. Yet his popular hold on the people was such that he was easily the choice for a second term, which would have opened in March, had he lived. Twenty of his fifty years were spent in strife, which he loved with all the fire of the war horse.

With Tillman practically retired from public life although still holding his seat, with Davis gone, there is left only Vardaman of Mississippi to represent blatant, unrestrained license of speech in a forum that has listened to many of the greatest orators of modern times. Arkansas is not likely to suffer anything by losing a poor advertisement.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

A Novel Suggestion.

Many Western papers are joining in apparent sincerity, in a campaign that has as its object the placing of James J. Hill in the Wilson Cabinet as Secretary of Agriculture. It is argued that every action of the creative years of Mr. Hill's life has indicted a rich appreciation of the importance of agriculture, and that his superskill as an executive would make him probably the most achieving holder of the farm portfolio in the history of the country.

The suggestion is interesting, but not at all likely to be generalized. It is difficult to imagine Mr. Hill giving over his entire energies to any position, however, conspicuous, in which he could not be his own master. And it is equally difficult to imagine Mr. Wilson overcoming the political and other scruples that stand in the way of naming the big Westener.

But the attentiveness with which the idea has been discussed and the friendliness with which it has been received are significant as indicating the esteem in which the Naton holds capacity and the importance it attaches to the functions of the Department of Agriculture. The qualities that earned for Mr. Hill and justly, the sobriquet of "empire builder" would be manifest to splendid effect in promoting the agricultural interests of America.

We have at last arrived at the realization that the Nation is no stronger and no richer than its farming population. Simultaneously, we see that the Federal Government has not given to this class the attention its role in the economic game warrants. It is not feasible, nor perhaps desirable, to invite Mr. Hill into the Cabinet. But the entire country would be the gainer if a man approximating his mental girth and outlook could be put in charge of its fundamental producing interests—Atlanta Constitution.

A Promised Veto.

Senator Bacon's introduction of a joint resolution recognizing the Chinese republic will, it is said, be vetoed by Mr. Taft if it passes both houses. That may or may not take place; Mr. Taft's opposition to so many matters has vanished before sufficient pressure that it need surprise no one if he should undergo a sea change on this one, too. It is hard, indeed, to see why recognition should be longer withheld. As Ching Chun Wang points out in the current Atlantic, the dynasty is dead. Prince Regent and Dowager Empress have forsaken it. As for the republic it has existed ten months, nobody is contesting it; and as for disorder, there is not so very much moree, if any, than there was under the empire. Indeed, so well thought of is the republic that the leading European nations and the United States are fairly forcing their money upon it, which hardly looks as if anarchy were expected tomorrow. The burden of the proof why the republic should not be recognized is plainly, as Mr. Ching points out, upon those who would deny it acceptance among the nations of the earth. But Mr. Taft is not willing to commit us at present to recognition, any more than he is willing that we shall fix a definite date for our withdrawal from the Philippines, and set ourselves to that task with might and main.—New York Evening Post.

M'KEEN PRESENTED WITH LIFE MHMBERSHIP

Organizer of Moose Lodge Here Remembered in Pleasing Manner By Local Lodge

A. C. McKeen district director for the Loyal Order of Moose, has moved to this city to make his home and headquarters here. As a token of their regard members of Rucker Lodge No 1222 have presented him with a life membership in the order. He has organized a strong lodge of over 250 members here and has made a number of good friends. Mr. McKeen acknowledged the gift from the local lodge in a very feeling speech.

The Moose are arranging for a big parade Saturday night through the business section. The parade will be headed by the fire department.

Sunday they will give an entertainment and smoker in the Odd Fellows' Hall.

The lodge has leased the hall in the Henderson Bacon building which they will occupy about February 1. They will open their hall with a grand ball.

Sunday Col. H. P. Rucker, national director for the fraternity in Texas and Oklahoma will be here to install the newly elected officers.

Dr. Jacob Frank of Chicago, says Bahia, Brazil, is older than St Augustine, Fla., having been founded in 1549.

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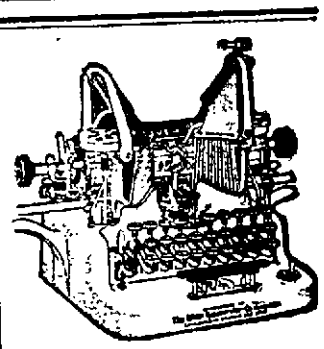

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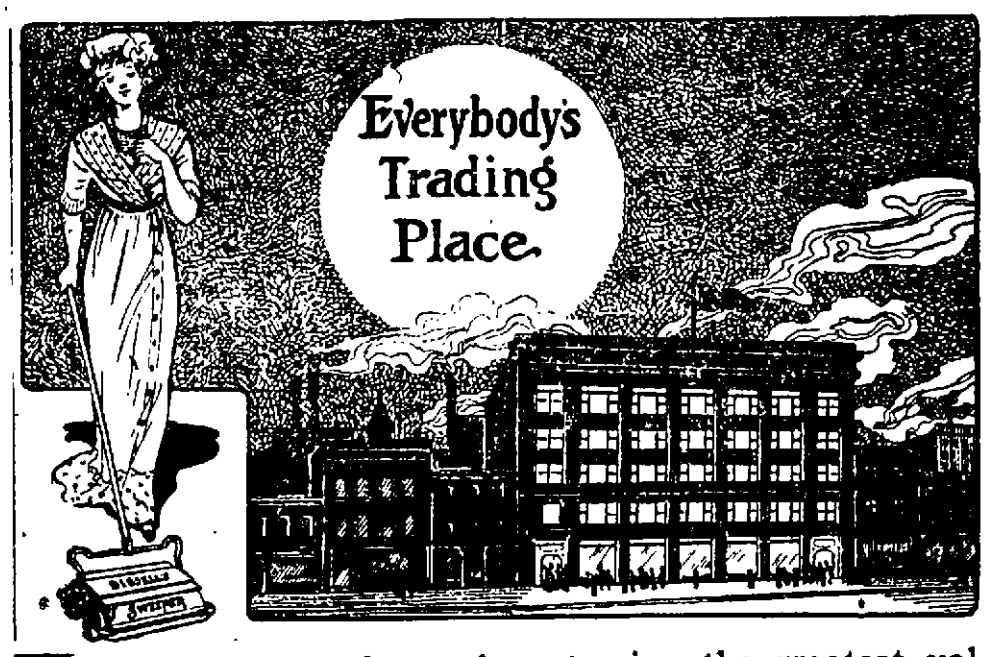
A New Year's Resolution

Resolved, That, for the year 1913, we will renew and increase our efforts to make "The Store Dependable", a more desirable place to trade. That by honest values and square dealing, giving value received, correcting every mistake, guaranteeing and standing behind each article sold, we may honestly write over our name the words shown on this cut.



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While I am not personally acquainted with every one in the city I take this method of soliciting your account for January.

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PURE FOODS

DRAFT OF CONSTITUTION BEING PREPARED

Chamber of Commerce Committee Has Already Begun Work

The committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce directors to prepare a constitution and by-laws for the organization has begun its work, and a tentative draft of the document has been prepared It is understood that it will contain no very radical changes in the procedure of the organization.

Among changes which may be made however, is a provision that directors shall be chosen for two years, half of the board fo be elected each January Another suggestion provides for the division of the revenue of the organization into separate funds, each to be based on a certain percentage of the total receipts; such funds will probably include an advertising fund a convention fund and a general fund

It is likely that the constitution will be submitted to the directors for approval at the next meeing of he directors.

Our store will be decorated with apples Saturday Visitors welcome whether you buy or not. Come and see them Trevathan Brothers 6 2tc

Justice McFarland of Altoona, Pa., the other day fined his wife, who is a grocery keeper, $60 for selling adulterated catsup.

Mrs J. A. Funston, who recently underwent an operation in a local hospital has recovered sufficiently to be removed to her home at 1106 8th street.

Gualano & Matteo, Italian Accordeon Soloists appearing tonight at Lydia Margaret Theatre

TELLS ABOUT THEFT STANDARD OIL LETTERS

Negro Says He Caught Office Boy and Stump Getting Letters and Got In on Deal

By Associated Press

Chicago, Jan 9—W W Winkfield the negro who was an employe of the Standard Oil Company and who assisted in purloining the Archbold letters" that eventually reached the public through William Randolph Hearst today told how he got in the deal" He ridiculed a report that $34 000 was paid for the letters, and brought into the story a new name that of Frank Morrell, an office boy for the oil company Winkfield said his connection was partly accidental He caught Morrell and Chas Stump he said, taking letter copy books from the files. They promised to let him in on the deal if he would keep quiet He said he received nothing for this

W D McDowell, formerly with the Western Union Co here now in the Fort Worth and Denver dispatchers office at Childress, is back for a few days' visit with home folks

Christmas has come and gone also the Christmas guests, but that broken chair has not been repaired, neither has that dirty rug been cleaned There is no time like the present, so get busy with the Hello instrument and call 544. That is the place where any and everything is repaired. If there is anything that we can't fix, we have not found it yet, so we must be able to deliver the goods. Good workmanship and good material, is the fundamental principles of the Handy Man's Shop A trial is all we ask. Absolute satisfaction, is our watchword 6 1tc

MANY CHALLENGES FOR WINNER HERE

Match Between Beatit and Collier Attracts Attention of Southwestern Wrestlers

The wrestling match tomorroy night between Jim Beatit and Bert Collier is attracting considerable attention among the wrestlers in the Southwest If the number of challengers to the winner received by Manager Shaughnessy is an indication.

Challenges have been received to-date from Roy Mabe, champion of Western Oklahoma, Chief Montour Dellvitch, a Turk of Wichita, Kansas, and Yussuf, the Turk

Everything is announced in readiness for the match Collier will go on the mat at 168 pounds while eBatit weight 178 While the dope favors Beatit, the glass factory contingent are confident their man will give him a good run for their money Some of them who have seen Collier in previous matches say he will win.

The match will be held in the Eagles Hall tomorrow night

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AMUSEMENTS

"The Bohemian Girl,"

According to the newspaper criticisms it would appear that "The Bohemian Girl" as it is being offered by the Aborn Opera Company contains elements some one or more of which must appeal to every theatre goer. Among the features mentioned are Balfe's well known melodious ballads sung by notable singers, an unusually rich scenic outfit, a scene in which a score of horses are employed that supplies all the thrills of a melodrama, a number of circus acts of exceptional merit and a ballet. It would appear that "The Bohemian Girl" as it will be presented at the Majestic Theatre Saturday night is decidedly different from the style in which it was done for so many years

A Good Bill Tonight.

The bill at the Lydia Margaret tonight includes three new acts, all of which are said to be of the highest class.

Harmon and James, a man and a woman, appear in a sketch called "Today, Yesterdays and Tomorrows" They feature violin playing, singing and talking and introduce some new songs. The first scene, representing yesterday, shows colonial costumes and pastimes The act closes with a suffragette scene which is very amusing

Gualano and Matteo are real Italian accordion artists. Of the former, a Vicksburg, Miss., paper has the following to say.

"Personally Raphael Gulano scored the heaviest success last night at the Majestic. He is an accordion player, after the order of Pietro, but he goes Pietro one better, for he plays the melody on one accordion which he holds in his hands, and carries the accompaniment with a second accordion which he plays with his feet. His popular airs pleased the audience best and more of them would create a more popular act, but he shows his real ability as a musician with the classical pieces"

The vaudeville bill closes with Francis E LaMont, one of the famous LeMont brothers, who are known as the Pacific coast dancing boys He has appeared in all of the largest cities of the country and has won success everywhere

At The Majestic

Owing to missing connection at Whitesboro, three of the acts to have appeared at the Majestic tonight have been delayed and consequently will not be able to show here until the matinee tomorrow afternoon. In their place Manager Abe Marcus has arranged with the Four Lewises to put on two new acts, and these with Wallace's Educated Birds will make up the vaudeville bill tonight The Lewises' act will consist of a soubrette part by Miss Orlette Lewis, and an Irish comedy playlet entitled Jimmy, the Newsie by the Four Lewises

Wallace's Educated Birds is an act out of the ordinary, and one while it has been before the public for a great many years has never failed to please The star actor of Mr. Wallace's bird cast is White Eagle, a trained cockatoo that has been on the stage for 36 years He was trained and shown first by Mr. Wallace's father, and is considered so valuable that his life is insured for $5000

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Owing to the appearance here Saturday of the Aborn Grand Opera Co. in "The Bohemian Girl," there will be no matinee or night performance of vaudeville that day.

I'm guldarned tired milkin' and doin' chores—I'm goin' to the city. You'll be guldarned glad to go back to the country.

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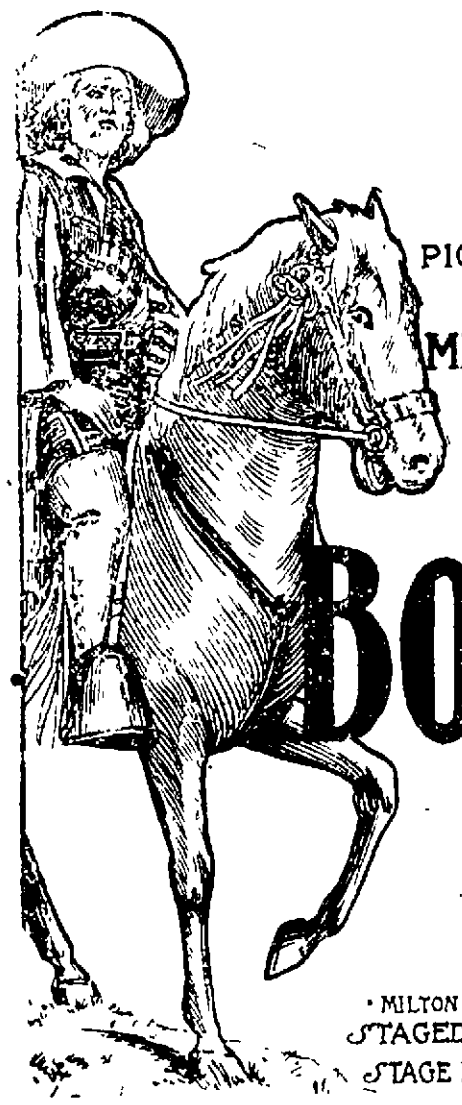

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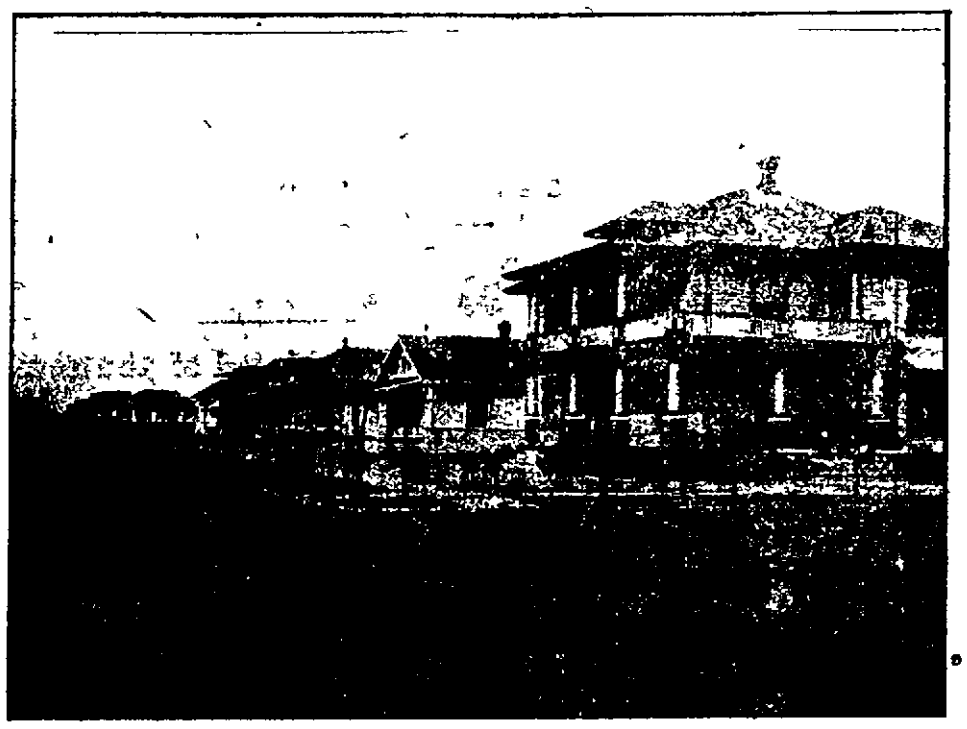

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SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas,
County of Wichita

J. L. Downing v. M. J. Shivers et al. No. 4392. In the District Court of Wichita County, Texas.

Whereas on the 3rd day of December 1912 J. L. Downing recovered in the District Court of Wichita County, Texas a judgment against M. J. Shivers for the sum of $197.07 with interest thereon from the 3rd day of December 1912 at the rate of eight per cent and costs of the suit and

Whereas said judgment is a foreclosure of the vendor's lien against M. J. Shivers and Carrie Shivers on the following described property to wit

Lots Nos. One (1) and Two (2) Block Three (3) Downing subdivision to the city of Wichita Falls. Said said case being numbered 4392 on the docket of the District Court and

Whereas by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Wichita County, Texas on the 24th day of December 1912 by A. F. Kerr, Clerk of said Court in said cause above mentioned being Numbered 4392 on the docket of said court commanding me to seize and sell the above described property as under execution to satisfy said judgment of $197.07 together with interest thereon from December 3rd 1912 at eight per cent per annum and all costs of the suit I did on the 28th day of December 1912 at ten o'clock a. m. levy upon the following tracts and parcels of land situated in Wichita County, Texas to-wit

Lots Nos. One and Two in Block Three Downing subdivision to the city of Wichita Falls, Texas and on the 4th day of February 1913 being the first Tuesday of said month and between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. of said date at the court house door of Wichita County, Texas in the city of Wichita Falls, I will offer for sale at public auction for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title and interest of the said M. J. Shivers and Carrie M. Shivers in said property above described.

Dated this the 28th day of December, 1912.

R. L. RANDOLPH, Sheriff Wichita County, Texas
By G. A. HAWKINS, Deputy.
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SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Wichita. By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Wichita County on the 3rd day of December 1912 by A. F. Kerr, Clerk of said Court against B. F. Taylor for the sum of six hundred forty-eight and 53/100 ($648.53) Dollars and costs of suit in cause No. 4888 in said court, styled Otho B. Houston versus B. F. Taylor and placed in my hands for service, I, R. L. Randolph as sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did on the 3rd day of December 1912 levy on certain real estate situated in Wichita County, described as follows, to-wit: All that certain lot, tract or parcel of land situated in Wichita County, Texas, and being two acres out of block No. 7 out of Mettlesky's Addition to the town of Iowa Park, Texas.

Also lot No. 4 out of block No. 115 of the town of Iowa Park, Texas, on hand. Under leave at Times office. F. Taylor. And on Tuesday the 4th day of February, 1913, at the Court House Door of Wichita County, in the City of Wichita Falls, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said Real Estate at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said B. F. Taylor by virtue of said levy and said judgment.

And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Wichita Times, a newspaper published in Wichita County.

Witness my hand this the 24th day of December, 1912.

R. L. RANDOLPH, Sheriff Wichita County, Texas.

SHERIFF'S SALE

The State of Texas, County of Wichita. By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Wichita County on the 2nd day of January 1913 by A. F. Kerr, Clerk of said Court, against Claud Evans, W. E. Evans, H. H. Brockreide and J. A. Mothershed for the sum of thirty-two hundred [illegible] twelve and 48/100 dollars and costs of suit in cause No. 4344 in said court, styled Frank P. Timberlake versus W. E. Evans, Claud Evans, F. E. Evans, J. A. Mothershed and Wichita State Bank and H. H. Brockreide and placed in my hands for service, I, R. L. Randolph, as sheriff of Wichita County, Texas, did on the 2nd day of January 1913 levy on certain real estate situated in Wichita County, described as follows, to-wit: 218 acres of land situated in Wichita County, Texas, known as Survey No. 3, A. B. & M. Certificate No. 817, Patented to W. A. Phillips, Abstract No. 6, beginning at N. E. corner of H. & N. Ry. Co. Survey, thence north 1300 varas to S. E. corner of T. F. Williams No. 2, thence west [illegible] varas to N. E. corner Survey No. 4, A. B. & M. Certificate No. [illegible], thence south 1300 varas to S. W. corner of this survey, thence east [illegible] varas to place of beginning, at cost of the property of said J. A. Mothershed and the other defendants named. And on Tuesday the 4th day of February, 1913, at the Court House Door of Wichita County, in the City of Wichita Falls, between the hours of ten A. M. and four p. m. I will sell said land at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said J. A. Mothershed and the other defendants named by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.

And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Wichita Times, a newspaper published in Wichita County.

Witness my hand this the 2nd day of January, 1913.

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Miss Helen Clift will conduct the Free Cooking School next week.

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MAJESTIC THEATRE JAN. 24

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On Monday January 13th, The Daily Times will open its Free Cooking School at the Lydia Margaret Theatre.

This school will be under the personal direction of Miss Edith L. Clift, one of the most accomplished and gifted cooking experts and instructors, in the United States.

Absolutely no charge will be made for Miss Clift's lessons. Every day for a week regular classes will be taught the gentle art of cooking, and the lessons will be free.

Read the interesting program as planned for the week. This program will be printed in the Daily Times every day commencing Sunday. Watch for it. You cannot afford to miss it.

Learn to cook so that you will be able to be a real help to your husband, and so that meal time in your home will be a time of happiness to be longed for.

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FOR SALE—A bargain for a few days only, a new modern five room brick house, east front with sidewalks, large living room with old fashioned fire place, and hard wood floor. See Cravens, Maer & Walker, phone 694, Kemp & Keil building. 90 15tc

FOR SALE—5 room house. Bath, water, sewerage, gas and lights. Price $1700. J. S. Bridwell. Phone 661. 84 tfc

FOR SALE—New 3, 4 and 5 room houses, just completed and ready to move into. $100 to $500 down, balance in monthly payments. Mack Thomas J. J. Simon, Ward Building, Phone 472. 2 tfc.

FOR SALE—Some nice lots near school building. Just few more to be had in that vicinity. Better buy now. J. S. Bridwell. 4 tfc.

FOR SALE—Five acres adjoining the Wylie Wyatt addition on the east; five room house on the five acres; well, cistern and out buildings; well located for city property. For further information see E. Witters, owner, box 841, Wichita Falls, Texas. 200 6t.

FOR SALE—5 room modern house, every conveniense, east front, within 2 blocks of High School and car line. Price $2250. Small cash payment, balance to suit. Bean, Huey & Gohlke. 2 tfc

FOR SALE—150 acres good land; some improvement; 100 acres in wheat, one mile to station; $20.00, terms. J. S. Bridwell, phone 661. 4 tfc

FOR SALE—1 nice 4 room house, city water, gas and barn. Price $600.00 One hundred cash, balance monthly Creed Bros & Co., office 710 1-2 Ohio Avenue Phone 1315 6 3tc

FOR SALE—New 3 room houses just completed and ready to move into Price $650.00 $150 cash, balance $20 per month Mack Thomas and J. J. Simon, phone 472, room 2, Ward Building. 2 tfc.

FOR SALE—Two lots on corner Floral Heights in fine location with sewerage. Price $1050. This is a bargain. Bean, Huey & Gohlke. 3 tfc.

FOR SALE—New 5 room house in Floral Heights all modern at a real bargain, fine location, easy terms. Mack Thomas & J. J. Simon, phone 472, room 2, Ward Building. 2 tfc.

FOR SALE—5 acre improved irrigated tract within two miles of business district New four room frame house, barn, fenced, water. Bargain at $1350. Terms. Bean, Huey & Gohlke. 96 tfc.

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FOR SALE—Modern 5 room house, east front, ready to move into. Price $2250, $250 cash, balance $100.00 per quarter. Mack Thomas & J. J. Simon, phone 472, room 2, Ward Building. 2 tfc.

ATTENTION OIL MEN—We have up to-date, complete oil maps of Wichita, Clay, Archer and Baylor counties for sale. Kemp & Keil, Suite 507, Kemp & Keil Bldg., phone 860. 88 tfc.

FOR SALE—5 room house, just completed and ready to move into. Price $1250, $150 cash, balance $25 per month. This place is all modern Mack Thomas & J. J. Simon, phone 472. Room 2 Ward Building. 2 tfc.

FOR SALE—Lot 50x150 feet south front on Tenth street, Floral Heights; lot 9, block 23 half block from carline. The prettiest vacant lot left on Tenth street, $700; half cash, balance time 8 per cent. Phone 1056. 4 tfc

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LOST

LOST—Last Sunday morning between Franke's wagon yard and Baptist church, a small sucking pig that was in a sack when it disappeared from the back part of buggy. Those having knowledge of the property please notify Frank Burns, constable, and be suitably rewarded. 4 3tp

LEGAL NOTICES

Notice To Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First State Bank & Trust Company will be held at the bank Tuesday, January 14 at 2 p. m. 90 tfc

Notice of Stockholders Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Times Publishing Company will be held at the office of Anderson & Patterson, 616 Eighth street, Wichita Falls, Texas, on Tuesday the 14th day of January, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the body.

G. D. ANDERSON, Sec.

Wichita Falls, Texas, Dec. 30, 1912. 197 tfc

Notice to Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the stockholders will be held at the offices of the Wichita State Bank of Wichita Falls, Texas, January 14th, 1913, same being the second Tuesday in said month, for the purpose of electing directors and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

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Absolutely the Best Buy on Tenth St.

We are offering for a short time only the exclusive sale of the five-room modern house at 1614 Tenth street, for $3,250. The lot is a south front, 60x162 1-2 feet, with sidewalk and curb. The improvements consist of a five-room, practically new house, having bath, commode, lavatory, gas, lights and sewer connection. Lot values in this block are valued at $2,500. This is a bargain in choice residence property that is seldom offered. Price $3,250 Terms, $2000 cash; balance to suit at eight per cent. interest.

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Railroad Time Table

Wichita Falls Route

Northbound—	
No. 3 Lv Wichitas Falls	3:40 a.m.
No. 3 Ar Woodward	2:25 p.m.
No. 1 Lv Wichita Falls	2:40 p.m.
No. 1 Ar. Elk City	8:55 p.m.
Southbound—	
No. 2 Lv Elk Cty	6:00 a.m.
No. 2 Ar Wichita Falls	12:10 p.m.
No. 4 Lv Woodward	11:55 a.m.
No. 4 Ar Wichita Falls	10:40 p.m.

Altus Wellington Branch

No 5 Lv Altus	9:10 a.m.
No. 5 Ar Wellington	11:59 a.m.
No. 6 Lv Wellington	2:35 p.m.
No. 6 Ar Altus	5:25 p.m.

Wichita Falls and Newcastle

No. 11 Lv Wichita Falls	2:30 p.m
No. 11 Ar Newcastle	6:05 p.m.
No. 12 Lv Newcastle	7:00 a.m.
No. 12 Ar Wichita Falls	10:50 a.m.

Fort Worth and Denver

Northbound—	Arrive	Leave
No. 1	1:40 p.m.	1:50 p.m
No. 3	12:20 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
No. 7	2:20 a.m.	2:45 a.m
Electra Local departs		7:30 a.m
Southbound—	Arrive	Leave
No. 2	1:50 p.m.	1:55 p.m.
No. 8	2:45 a.m.	2:55 a.m.
No. 4	12:01 p.m.	12:20 p.m
Local from Electra Arrives		6:15 p.m

Missouri, Kansas & Texas

Eastbound—	
No. 56 Lv Wichita Falls	6.20 a.m.
No 12 Lv Wichita Falls	1:20 p.m
No. 18 Lv Wichita Falls	12:40 a.m.
Westbound—	
No 55 Ar Wichita Falls	11:00 p.m.
No 11 Ar Wichita Falls	12:20 p.m
No 17 Ar. Wichita Falls	3:10 a.m.

Wichita Valley

To Byers and Petrolia—	
No. 8 Lv Wichita Falls	8:30 a.m
No. 10 Lv Wichita Falls	2:15 p.m
From Byers and Petrolia—	
No. 7 Ar. Wichita Falls	12:05 p.m
No. 9 Ar Wichita Falls	5:45 p.m.
To Abilene	
Westbound—	
No. 1 Lv Wichita Falls	2:05 p.m.
Eastbound—	
No. 2 Ar Wichita Falls	12:15 p.m

The Raw Recruit.

F. M. King enlisted in the Spanish-American war and was sent to Jefferson barracks. He was strolling through the company streets smoking a cigar when an officer approached. King saluted.

"Look here," said the officer, "don't you know better than to salute an officer when you have a cigar in your mouth? How long have you been here?"

"Three days," replied King.

"You are excused this time," said the officer, "but don't let me catch you doing that again."

In a short time King met the same officer and walked by without saluting.

"Why didn't you salute?" demanded the officer, stopping him.

"Well, you just told me not to salute when I had a cigar in my mouth," replied the raw recruit.

But he spent three days in the kitchen peeling potatoes for this offense.—Atchison Champion.

Alvord—A Commercial Club was organized in this city recently with an initial membership of twenty-five. Mayor S. M. Ward was elected secretary.

CURIOUS BITS OF HISTORY

THE FIRST MONEY COINED FOR AMERICA.

By A. W. MACY.

The earliest coinage of money for America is said to have been made for Virginia in 1612. The London Company had been formed for the purpose of pushing colonization work in Virginia, and in 1609 Sir George Somers, an active promoter of the company, set out with an expedition. His vessels encountered a violent storm and were wrecked on the coast of one of the Bermuda islands. Somers took possession of the islands in the name of Great Britain. He was forced to remain there ten months, but finally reached Virginia. The Bermudas, often since then called Somers islands, were largely colonized by people from Virginia, and the relations between the two became intimate. This accounts for Virginia's first coins being made there. They were of brass, and on one side was represented a ship under full sail, firing a gun. On the other side were the words, "Somers Island," and the figure of a hog, "in memory," as an old-time writer quaintly says, "of the abundance of hogges which the English found on their first landing."

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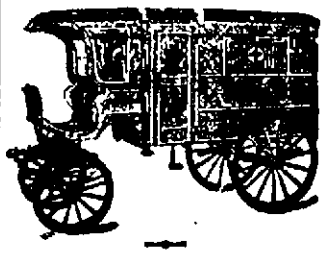

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Panhandle Lodge No. 341, I. O. O. F. meets every Monday night at 8 o'clock. J. T. Young, secretary.

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PERSONAL MENTION

C. G. Elliot of the Katy's general offices at Dallas, is in the city today Tom Cowden, also from the general office of the road is here.

W. E. Hocker of Elk City, who has been connected with the Wichita Falls Route for several years is in the city on business.

E. H Andrus of Randlett, Okla., is in the city on business.

Mrs. H. Ward of Henrietta, is a visitor here today while looking after business matters.

Due Millsap of Weatherford, is in the city looking after matters in connection with the opening of the McGrattan-Millsap Company's dry goods store in the near future.

J. W. Pond and family are moving into the home they recently purchased from T. C. Thatcher.

Phil Kleinman, manager of the Globe, is able to be out after a months' illness with fever. Mr. Kleinman lost 38 pounds in weight during his illness, but is now rapidly regaining his weight and strength.

A B Tevis of Altus, who has ben visiting his wife at the Wichita Falls Sanitarium, has returned home.

Mrs. Robert Gingles of Denison, is visiting Mrs. Tom Foster, 413 Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gibson of Hereford, who have been visiting Mrs. C. C. White and Mrs. W R Gibson, left for home today.

J. L. Art left for Fort Worth on a business trip this afternoon.

S. J. Slade came in from Amarillo yesterday and went to Petrolia this afternoon.

T. L. Peeler of Dallas, industrial commissioner for the Katy, came in this afternoon on the Denver.

General Freight Agent West of the Katy, is in the city today and will remain until tomorrow to meet Ball Brothers.

Will Skeen is able to be out again after a severe illness which kept him confined more than two weeks.

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Skating at El Paso.
By Associated Press.
El Paso, Texas, Jan. 9.—El Paso's record breaking cold weather is moderating. For the first time in history, skating is possible in El Paso. The temperature early this morning was eight degrees above zero.

Sonoma Reaches Washington.
By Associated Press.
Washington, Jan. 9.—The naval tug Sonoma, which left Hampton Roads with the Panther arrived at quarantine today. No word has been received from the Panther.

Unidentified Dead Man.
By Associated Press.
Dallas, Texas, Jan. 9.—An unidentified man whom the police say was killed by a blow in the back of the head, was found at a downtown corner at 3 o'clock this morning.

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HUMOR OF VARIOUS NATIONS

Different Races Have Special Ideas of Jokes Which Seem to Appeal to Them Alone.

A man who has nothing else to do, anyhow, has taken unto himself the task of gathering from the comic papers of six nations the leading topics which appear to be the favorite themes of humor in each country. Here is a brief summary of the result:

The Germans' pet ticklers are: A professor who forgets his umbrella; a college student who drinks beer and "touches" a friend for a loan; the misses who worship army officers, a husband without the front door key; the cook's lover, usually a soldier, hidden in the kitchen; mother-in-law.

Englishmen prefer: Kisses (in all descriptions); boys who are afraid of getting mixed up with a miss and be sued for breach of promise; an unlucky bettor; an unskilled golf player; ditto, football; ditto, cricket; ditto Rugby; Americans who talk through the nose; mothers-in-law.

French people giggle on jokes on soldiers and nurses; wives who—; husbands who—; boys who—; girls who—; the German tourist in Paris; government-made matches; the mode before the last; the last mode; the latest mode; the very latest mode; Sarah Bernhardt's age; mothers-in-law.

Americans laugh at almost anything, but their favorite topics are: The common people squashed by a trust; a stolid Englishman; an Italian who eats spaghetti; a silk hat (occasionally a nose) smashed in a fisticuffs; a bottle of whisky labeled "lemonade;" an Italian hurdy-gurdy; mothers-in-law.

The Italians' favorites are: A glutton country priest; Roman urchins; a Neapolitan cabby; a tailor's bill; a cigar that does not "draw;" the colonel's orderly; ladies' hats; mothers-in-law.

Finally, the Spaniards' predilected jokes are always on corridas, toros y espadas; when they change they are on toros, corridas y espadas, or espadas, corridas y toros; once in a while mothers-in-law get a shot, too.

BOY HURT BY POWDER BLAST

Heat From Automobile Headlight Causes Fatal Injury to a "Newsie."

Hammond, Ind.—A peculiar accident will cost twelve-year-old Parker Tipton, a newsboy of Madison county, his life. Parker bought five cents' worth of gunpowder and put it in his pocket. While he was warming his hands in front of a powerful headlight on an automobile the heat from the light converged on the powder and it exploded. The boy was so burned that he cannot live.

In the case of F. Happy Day Judge Martin overruled the motion for a new trial and the defense gave notice of appeal.

It was learned today that when the jury first retired with the case it stood eight for conviction and four for acquittal, the latter being won over to the conviction side later.

Condemned Negro Belligerent.
By Associated Press
Dallas, Texas, Jan. 9.—John Robinson, a negro who is to hang here tomorrow for murder, today fought everyone who attempted to enter his cell.

Yeggmen Failed at Powell
By Associated Press.
Corsicana, Texas, Jan. 9.—Yeggmen attempted to blow the sage of the bankbank at Powell, seven miles east of here, last night. They were frightened away after the safe door had been blown open.

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A maximum temperature of 34 has been recorded in Wichita Falls this week; that figure was reached by the thermometer Sunday afternoon, and since that time it has never been above the freezing point. In the absence of the north wind, however, the cold is not making itself very uncomfortable and it required the evidence of the thermometer yesterday afternoon and this morning to convince one that it was really cold weather.

It has been a profitable week for the plumbers, as numerous water pipes have been burst by the cold weather. Patches of Monday's snow are still in evidence today, and engines passing through from the north bear plentiful evidence of snow in the Panhandle.

The temperature at 6 o'clock this morning was 14, according to the Fonville thermometer, but had risen to above the 20 mark before noon.

Increasing cloudiness is the forecast for tonight with unsettled weather Friday.

James Aldredge of Iowa, husked 282 bushels of corn in ten hours the other day. He claims the championship of the world.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

New York Cotton.
By Associated Press.
New York, Jan. 9.—Cotton closed quiet. Middling uplands 13 cents. Middling gulf 13 25. Sales 857 bales.

Fort Worth Livestock
By Associated Press.
Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 9.—Cattle receipts 2000. Beef steers strong $4.65 to $6.65. Calves receipts 500, strong $6 to $8. Hog receipts 300, steady; tops $7.60.

Kansas City Cash Grain.
By Associated Press.
aKnsas City, Jan. 9.—Cash wheat No. 2 hard 841-2 to 91. Corn No. 2 mived, 47 1-2. Oats No. 2 white 34 to 35.

Building Permits Issued
The following building permits have been issued: Mrs. L. M. Boyd, two-story frame, lot 2, block 4, Bellevue addition; $3,000; J. S. James, contractor.
J. B. Nall, one-story frame, lots 17 and 18, block 4, J. Kemp and Jackson addition; $1500; E. L. Noey, contractor.
W. W. Hall, one-story frame, lot 3, block 2, Trueblood addition; $825; W. W. Hall, contractor.

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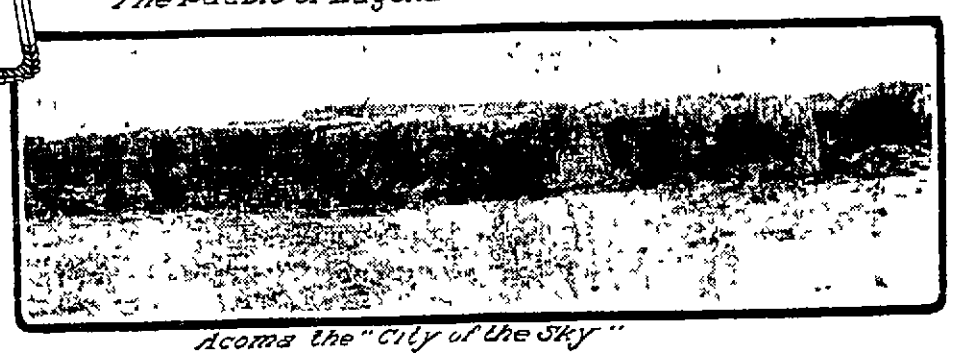

Acoma the "City of the Sky"

HAS the original American suffragette been found? Some people think so and that her home is in those strange Indian pueblos of our Southwest where the children inherit from the mothers side of the house and where the women are handsome finely developed and wield a powerful influence in home and village affairs. As far back as the coming of the Spaniards these strangers found the women of the Indian tribes of Arizona and New Mexico having a voice in the election of war chiefs governors and other village officials and it is still the custom. Another queer thing about these intelligent women is that in some mystrious way their ancestors have had intercourse with the women of the Orient. The pueblo women use the same symbols on their pottery that are found in the decorations of Orientals. How this happens no one knows for the Indians of the Southwest are silent mysterious creatures but one can guess that at some time intercourse took place by way Bering Straits. These pueblo Indians are of interest since the treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo in 1848 it is a remarkable fact that these Indians have for hundreds of years maintained their own form of government, electing a governor war chief and assistants and putting to shame the lawlessness of the white man in the early days of the settlement of the Southwest. More than this and standing out prominently as a feature in their comeunal life the women have had suffrage. In every particular the domestic life is in the hands of the women. They are consulted on all affairs of state have a voice in questions pertaining to the pueblos government and the children inherit from the maternal side. As a result they are of magnificent physique. They have the grace of the orientals but also have what many oriental women lack the dignity that instantly impressed with their nobility springs from self respect. One is in of countenance and fine presence.

There are several of these interesting pueblos not far from Albuquerque. One of them—Acoma the City of the Sky—is probably the most remarkable place in the United States. It derives its peculiar name from its high location and must be reached from Laguna, another interesting pueblo. Long before civilized woman began to assert her independence the women of these villages wielded a powerful influence in all public questions. Today Acoma has about five hundred and fifty inhabitants and it takes a trip of a few hours to reach it—a wonderful ride over a trail situated on a plateau which descends to a plain. On the edge, seven thousand feet above sea level a rock eminence rises some four hundred and fifty feet in height and on this is the most wonderful aboriginal city on earth cliff built cloud swept matchless.

For ages this pueblo was reached only by an almost perpendicular stair way up which the inhabitants toiled carrying theld building material on their backs. The present approach is around the side of a precipitous table rock. From ages back this pueblo of Acoma has occupied this exalted position. One can picture the astonishment of Coronado and his men when they saw it and their chagrin when it repulsed attacks. Those were strenuous times especially as the inhabitants were constantly trying to ward off the wandering Navajos. But at last the Spaniards carried the citadel by assault. Afterwards the strangers were driven from the land but coming later were treated in a friendly manner, cordial and sympathetic which in a measure has lasted until this day.

In this strange village high up toward heaven is a graveyard that for generations to build for the dirt was carried on the backs of Indians from the plains below. There is also a church one of the wonders of the southwest a strange adobe structure with walls sixty feet high and ten feet thick. In this old part all dancing building there are held strange religious ceremonies a combination of atholic and Indian rites for the priests of the early times realize that it was unwise to deprive these Indians of all their customs and religious rites. There are still some of the barbaric splendor with which this ancient church was decorated and its lofty tower are bells that came from Spain. The reservoir on the top of the hill is another interesting sight and it is of the utmost importance to the Indians who depend on it for water when they are cut off from the plains below. Of course Acoma is built on a rock it is necessary that agriculture be carried on in the fields below.

One passes the Mesa Encantada or Enchanted Mesa on the way to the City of the Sky. This is a high elevation at least four hundred and fifty feet above the valley. According to an ancient legend the City of Acoma once stood on this but a cliff fell and separated the few who were at home from those who were working in the field and the survivors unable to return built the present pueblo of Acoma. This theory has been partially verified by ethnologists who have visited the place and found relics of pottery and household utensils. Whether or not there has been two pueblos of Acoma it is safe to say the home life in both has been conducted in the same manner. The homes are of terraced form three stories high and between them are long narrow streets of rock. One of these widens into a plaza in the center of the village and here all dances and public meetings are held. Curious cone shaped ovens a survival of Spanish times are situated at intervals. It seems somewhat odd to climb a ladder to the second story in order to enter an Acoma house but once there the rooms on the second terrace are easily reached and another ladder leads to the third story.

Some one has said that if all the rest of the world were blotted out these Indians would still go on their way peaceful and undisturbed. They take much pleasure in their simple and modest labors. They know each other by their Indian nomenclature and consider they will offend a Spanish name or a sort of corrupted English and Spanish reckoning. The name is always dignified and generally complimentary. Occasionally in the homes one can see evidences of American civilization some patient squaw make work under a tin dishpan or the wall decorated with crude paintings but as a rule the chief ornament is the metate or grinding stones by which the women hand the corn. Often two or three families live in a home with pots and kettles nearby in which the corn is placed. The metate is made in two parts. One is a stone placed at an angle. The part takes the place of the woman's rolling pin is shaped like a brick and is rolled up and down over the corn which is placed on the inclined stone. The effect is much like washing. The Indians are also fond of music and as they grind the large lonely developed women sing happy songs sometimes these chants tell of running water of butterflies of green fields of the legends of their fathers but always the tune is suited to the sentiment and the voice rises or falls to symbolize the thought. Every heart beat one is clean every metate is silent. When dirt and refuse appear it is swept on to a huge pile of debris outside the village and no waste is allowed to accumulate. As the women sweep with wisps of reeds they bend gracefully every motion full of charm. These women have no household cares.

One sees the same home life in Laguna which is about two the size of the Keresan pueblo of Acoma numbers about one thousand people and has been the subject of a painting recently exhibited by Albert Groll in the New York Academy of Design. A small group of artists love the pueblos and there are few more picturesque and remarkable paintings showing their charm. Laguna proper consists of nine. Places but the pueblo which is typical and best is the largest as it is the winter home of the tribe. Laguna (the lake) was founded as far back as 1699 by refugees from Acoma and Zuni and several battles with the Navajos and Apaches were fought here. As he walked under a dazzling sun on the ancient brick and flint rocky streets for Laguna is built on a hill it was hard during the days of the gods of war and deities of plains the those arbiters of some rain plays fairly had played their part in the formation but this must be all. The women came to us with baskets of pottery and we were hardly surprised when their [illegible] at Acoma they have [illegible] great [illegible] for a and intelligent [illegible] almost as strong as the men.

The covers are [illegible] the church and [illegible] with [illegible] more [illegible] and the [illegible] on [illegible] which [illegible] claimed [illegible] [illegible] fact [illegible] which [illegible] dwelling in the [illegible] The edifice is old [illegible] was erected in 1706 when this part of the world was still under Spanish [illegible] sentences are [illegible] there [illegible] grant priest makes his [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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At Cushing—Bumbaugh, Hardenburg and Webb have encountered a nice showing of gas in the Jones sand which is encountered 100 feet below the Layton sand in their test on the Katie Brown farm in section 9-17-7. It will be drilled to the Wheeler sand and the showing of gas helps the looks of things a lot. B. B. Jones has completed No. 4 on the Derisaw farm just north of the McMan Oil Company's property in section 32-18-7 and has a 200 barrel producer. C. B. Schaffer drilling in the southeast corner of the southwest of the same section at 45 feet in the Wheeler sand has a showing for a half million gas and the well is spraying oil. Tanks are being set and the well will be completed today. In this connection it should be stated that the average thickness of the Layton and the Wheeler sands is 100 and 75 feet respectively. C. J. Wrightsman has made a location and will drill in the northwest corner of the Cogee West farm in the southwest section. In spite of the cold weather interest in the development over there continues at fever heat.—Tulsa World.

WRITER FORECASTS FIGHT FOR SUPREMACY BY OIL BUSINESS.

(Tulsa World)

"The Waters Pierce Oil Co., people have secured signed contracts for enough oil in the Cushing field to justify a pipe line which will touch that territory, and extend south by way of Fort Worth to the Gulf." The above is the statement given out by one of the producers in that field, whose name for obvious reasons is not given. It will mark a new era in oil affairs in Oklahoma. It means that this is to be made the battleground for a world-wide fight for supremacy not only in Oklahoma, but in the markets of the world. That Oklahoma is nearer tidewater than any other field which has production worth mentioning can readily be seen, and from now on oil men here will profit thereby.

As the World has repeatedly stated foreign capital has been standing ready to back refining interests in this field. It appears now that the Waters-Pierce Oil Company has availed themselves of this foreign capital and is working with the American representatives of the allied opposition to the American company —The Standard Oil.

The Roxanna people can furnish approximately fifteen thousand barrels of oil and with an additional five thousand from the Cushing field, the new combination will have enough oil to supply an eight inch line to the Gulf. This new line is to be built at least, as far as the big refinery now standing practically idle at Fort Worth, Texas. This immense refinery was built to take care of Electra oil but the Waters-Pierce people have been by a series of shrewd moves practically barred from that field. They will now be in a position to compete with the best of them in the refined markets.

Contracts are being let at the present time for immense storage tanks to be built at tidewater for refined oil and unless plans are changed in the near future there will soon be a lively demand for the refined products which will help not only the Waters-Pierce people but a host of small refiners scattered throughout the Mid-Continent field. How high will crude sell in a year from now? This question has been asked and the answer from the best posted men everywhere is that it will be worth more than twice the price it is now bringing today. From now on a price war can be looked for which will put Oklahoma crude on a parity with eastern oil of equal quality. When Mercer black is selling at $1.58, who shall say that our oil is not worth at least as much? This new movements on the part of foreign capital has been pending for a long time. It has been forecasted by every careful observer of the oil game for the last two years. From now on there will be big doings in the Oklahoma field.

JUDGE R. E. BROOKS HEADS THE PRODUCERS' COMPANY.

Houston, Texas, Jan. 9—Judge R. E. Brooks was elected to the presidency of the Producers Oil Company at a meeting of the board of directors of that organization held in Houston Monday. Judge Brooks succeeds the lamented Walter B. Sharp, who was president of the Producers up to the time of his death in Chicago some six weeks ago.

J. R. Sharp and C. M Scott were elected vice presidents. The following general superintendents were chosen: J. B Black, Oklahoma division; C. B. Clayton, North Louisiana division; Frank Cullinan, North Texas division; T. P Lee, South Texas division

Judge R. E. Brooks, elected to the presidency, was formerly treasurer of the Texas Company. Vice President C M Scott has been chief consulting engineer of the Texas Company, while T. P Lee was formerly in charge of the gas production of the last named organization.

The other officers are old Producers' officials.

BALL BROTHERS COMING HERE FRIDAY MORNING

No Obstacles in Sight to Prevent Closing of Contract to Bring Coffeyville Plant Here

Final arrangements for bringing their Coffeyville plant to Wichita Falls are expected to be made tomorrow by members of the firm of Ball Brothers, who have notified J. A. Kemp that they will reach here in the morning from their headquarters at Muncie, Indiana.

There are now no further obstacles in the way of Wichita Falls getting this plant, as every concession asked by Ball Brothers has been secured. It is believed that the purpose of their visit is to close finally and definitely with the citizens for bringing their plant here.

The final closing up of the agreement will be followed very shortly by the beginning of construction work, as the Coffeyville factory has already been dismantled and is ready to ship to this city. There is every reason to believe that another thirty days will see work under way on the building the plant.

A chair in logging engineering, to be established in the college of forestry of the University of Washington has been strongly urged by a committee of lumbermen, appointed by the last Pacific logging congress. If the board of regents fails to install the proposed course, it is said that members of the next logging congress will devise means of their own to finance the new branch of instruction.

DAY FOUND GUILTY; PENALTY TWO YEARS

His Attorneys Filed Notice of Appeal and Made Motion for a New Trial

A verdict of guilty of embezzling over $50, fixing the punishment at two years in the penitentiary, was returned by the jury in the case of F. Happy Day, after over two hours of deliberation yesterday afternoon. The jury brought in its verdict shortly after 5 o'clock.

Davi's attorneys, Carlton and Greenwood at once gave notice of appeal and today filed motion for a new trial. The motion was based upon the failure of Judge Martin to instruct the jury that it must find that the defendant took as much as $50 at some one time in order to bring a felony conviction. The judge's charge was that if it was found that over $50 had been taken during the defendant's term of office it should affix felony sentence.

The defendant heard the verdict announced with the same impassiveness that has characterized him throughout his trial, displaying no emotion. Pending the filing of the motion for a new trial, he spent last night in jail.

TEXARKANA AND PARIS WANT IN

Salary Limit for Texas-Oklahoma League Will Also be Raised

(Denison Herald)

The Texas-Oklahoma baseball league for 1913 is going to be better and stronger than ever.

Two strong towns are to be added, Texarkana and Paris, both of which will add strength, being the new members.

The salary limit will be raised from $1,000 including the manager, to $1,200 exclusive of the manager.

The player limit will be fourteen, instead of thirteen, as last season.

These changes will work to a more stable organization and a better class of baseball, which the towns of the league deserve.

Everything is in readiness for the league meeting here next Sunday, at which time the formation of the league for the 1913 season will be perfected.

In addition to the standbys of the last season, the new year will bring two lusty youngsters, Texarkana and Paris, which towns will no doubt be admitted to the circuit.

Roy Finley, secretary and treasurer of the league, has received notice from these two towns saying that they will be represented at the meeting. From Paris will come J. W. Bell, and from Texarkana will come Wilbur Burk, treasurer of the Texarkana club, and J. M. Baker, sheriff of Bowie county. Both of these men are enthusiastic baseball advocates, and say they have back of them fans who will go the limit.

The league for 1913 will be composed of the following: Denison, Bonham, Durant, Ardmore, Sherman, Wichita Falls, Paris and Texarkana.

The officers of the league, which were elected at the December meeting are as follows: C. O. Johnson, Durant, president; Roy Finley, Denison, secretary and theasurer.

One of the most important matters coming up at the meeting Sunday will be the acceptance of a committee report on changes in the constitution, which will make teh salary limit $1,200, exclusive of the manager, and making the player limit fourteen instead of thirteen as last year.

Many other matters of importance to the league will be considered and the league will be placed on a surer footing than ever before.

Houston—Nearly $1,500,000 was spent in Harris county during 1912 on motor vehicles, according to an estimate made from the automobile book in the county clerk's office. Nearly 900 licenses were issued during the year to automobile and motor cycle owners, bringing the total number of motor vehicles in the county up to 3,200.

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The officer thought there had been a fight in a pool hall and saw a man come out of the place, dusting himself off. The man stopped i na doorway and Nail accosted him.

"What are you doing?" asked the officer.

"Not a thing," was the answer.

"I guess you better beat it then."

The officer had hardly spoken before the man began beating it fast enough. Nail then decided that there must be something wrong after all and he started in pursuit, turning a nearby corner in time to see a dark streak disappear around the next one. Andy Humphries, another policeman, hove in sight about that time and "pulled" his brother officer for speeding. The only thing that bothers the officers is if Nail was speeding, what was the other man he was after doing?

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